

# MVMS Newsletter

**Our Mission: To ensure all of our students achieve high levels of learning required to succeed as a 21st century learner**

## Ryan Stream Assembly

In November we had several middle school and high school students attend the FCCLA Fall Conference in Casper. When those students returned, several of us heard from students about a powerful motivational speaker, Ryan Stream, who presented at the conference. The reviews we heard on this speaker were so positive that Mr. Carr and I made contact with him and we have agreed to bring him to the Bridger Valley. Ryan visits with his audiences about, “building resilience and kindness for a stronger community.” Ryan wants to empower students and adults to: recognize the power of resilience and kindness, unleash their own leadership, overcome obstacles, believe in themselves, and to take action to make a difference in their own lives and the lives of others.

We are scheduling a combined middle school and high school assembly for all Mountain View students the afternoon of February 5 here at MVHS. As a special add-on for this presentation, Ryan has agreed to have an evening performance—FREE—for the entire Bridger Valley Community. Ryan is a best-selling author, motivational speaker, musical artist, and veteran. His evening performance will be something that students of all ages will enjoy and parents and adults will appreciate his message as well.

Ryan will be presenting his message to Lyman students the



### Have questions?

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### No School Days

Feb. 16

Feb. 23

Ski Trip

Feb. 6th and 7th

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## **ALICE Drills**

School safety is very important. Throughout the school year, we will conduct various safety drills to help prepare our students and staff in the event of an emergency. Information will be provided to students, staff, and parents before any safety drill is conducted.

morning of February 5 and will be here at MVHS that afternoon, with his evening performance the evening of February 5. **If you would like to see more about Ryan check out <https://www.ryanstreamlive.com/>.**

## **Student Medicine**

The nurses would like to remind students and parents about medications at school and the importance of involving them so they are aware of what medications students need to take. We've had some situations this school year where students are sharing medicine with other students. This can cause a serious problem if adults are not aware, or if the student is unaware of the potential harm from taking someone else's medicine. The nurses are asking for medicine to be administered in the nurse's office so they are aware just in case a medical emergency arises.

## **Snow Days**

What a difference a year can make. While we've certainly been enjoying the milder weather this winter compared to last winter, it's always a good idea to be prepared for a possible snow day. Through the use of virtual learning, the WDE does allow school districts to count these days as a normal school day if student participation meets a certain level. The good news about this is...no make up days! Please make sure your student has their Chromebook and charger with them, especially if the weather forecast is looking bleak.

## **PE Locker Room**

There have been some concerns during the school year about student's personal items being taken from the locker room. It's a frustrating situation to spend lots of money on shoes, clothes, and equipment to only find out that they are coming up missing. A recent stroll through the boy's locker room found some interesting information. The boy's locker room consists of 96 lockers. Of those, 71 were occupied with student property. Of those 71 lockers, only 22 had padlocks on them. It's super important to make sure lockers are locked up so no

one can gain access. Students can rent a lock from the school or bring their own from home. Please help us make sure that everything is locked up and secured.